

City of Rockville Ethics Commission

Minutes

Black-Eyed Susan Conference Room Meeting No. 16-09 Wednesday, October 5, 2016 at 6:30 PM

Commissioners Present: Eugene Thirolf, Kris Dighe, Jaime Espinosa, Rosanne Hurwitz

City Staff: Debra Daniel, Eliot Schaefer

I. Convene

Meeting convened.

II. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda was made by Commissioner Hurwitz, seconded by Commissioner Dighe, and passed unanimously (4-0).

III. Approval of Minutes

<u>September 7, 2016</u> – Chairman Thirolf requested a change be made to the fourth bullet in Section VI. of the Minutes. Motion to approve minutes from the September 7, 2016 meeting as amended was made by Commissioner Dighe, seconded by Commissioner Hurwitz, and passed 4-0.

IV. Discussion on Commission Report to Mayor and Council

The Commission discussed topics to include in its Commission Report to Mayor and Council and who would be responsible for initial drafts.

- V. Old/New Business
 - Commission Guidance on Unsolicited Gifts Commissioner Dighe requested that a sentence in the second-to-last paragraph be revised.
 - City staff informed the Commission of the process to include the Ethics Commission in the budget process.
 - The Commission's next meeting is changed to Wednesday, November 16, 2016 at 6:30pm.

VI. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Dighe, seconded by Commissioner Hurwitz, and passed unanimously (4-0).